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T WHARF HAS 115,000 POUNDS

Prices Were Good Enough
to Suit Almost Any
Skipper In Fleet.

T wharf had a rather quiet morning of it as far as the receipts of groundfish were concerned, two of the steam trawlers, five sailing crafts and one swordfisherman being in.

The total receipts of the morning aggregated 115,000 pounds, mostly haddock and cod.

Large cod brought the fancy price of \$8 a hundred weight and market cod \$5. Haddock sold at \$3 to \$3.60, and pollock, \$4.90 to \$5.

The one trip of swordfish was in good demand and sold at 13 cents a pound.

Boston Arrivals.

The fares and prices in detail are:
Steamer Surf, 24,000 haddock, 1200 cod, 500 hake.

Steamer Heroine, 22,000 haddock, 400 cod, 2500 hake.

Sch. Fannie E. Prescott, 38,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 1200 hake.

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 600 cod, 5000 pollock.

Sch. Galatea, 300 cod, 4000 pollock.

Sch. Georgiana, 700 cod, 4500 pollock.

Sch. Eva Avina, 800 cod, 4000 pollock.

Steamer Lois H. Corkum, 3000 fresh tinker mackerel, 12 bbls. salt mackerel.

Steamer Sam and Priscilla, 10,000 fresh tinker mackerel.

Steamer Bryda F., 1000 fresh tinker mackerel.

Sch. Veda M. McKown, 9000 fresh tinker mackerel, 150 bbls. salt mackerel.

Steamer Water Witch, 7000 fresh tinker mackerel.

Steamer Joanna, 6000 fresh tinker mackerel.

Sch. Yankee, 39 swordfish.
Haddock, \$3 to \$3.60 per cwt.; large cod, \$8; market cod, \$5; pollock, \$4.90 to \$5; swordfish, 13 cents per lb.; fresh tinker mackerel, 8 cents to 8 1-2 cents per lb.

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Fulton Fish Market Notes.

There was a light supply of nearly all varieties of fish in the salt water fish market during last week, an unfortunate thing, as there were three fish days and practically little stock to meet the excellent demand, says the Fishing Gazette. The result was high prices generally and dissatisfaction all along the line.

Steak cod sold up to 14 cents on Thursday because of the very short supply. During the last half of the week the bulk of the sales were made at a shilling or more per pound. On Thursday some few fish sold at 8 cents. During the first part of the week sales were made at 9 to 10 cents. Market cod was on sale only on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Sales were made at 4 1-2 to 6 1-2 cents.

Western white halibut sold at 11 cents during the early part of the week and 11 to 14 cents during the last half. There were no Eastern fish in the market.

Hake brought 6 cents on Wednesday; 4 to 8 cents on Thursday and 3 to 4 cents on other days. There were no fish to be had on Tuesday.

Large bloater mackerel sold at 32 to 38 cents and mediums at 16 to 20 cents. Tinkers were quoted at \$7 to \$14 per barrel.

Pollock sold at 7 to 8 cents on Thursday. On other days sales were made at 4 to 6 cents.

Shelburne Fish Notes.

The fishermen at East Jordan got a nice lot of large mackerel last Tuesday.

Swim Brothers trap at Lockeport took six or seven barrels herring and one barrel mackerel Wednesday morning. Small boats have been doing little at that place lately on account of bad weather.

Schs. Ingomar and Fannie Hayden were at the Point a few days ago.

Reports from Sandy Point Wednesday say that there were no herring taken that morning; a few squid and a few mackerel.

FANCY PRICE FOR HALIBUT.

Capt. Gus Peterson Struck
In Just When the Firms
Wanted Fish.

Sch. Rhodora, Capt. Augustus Peterson, is here this morning from a halibut trip on the Cape Shore, halibut for 15,000 pounds besides 35,000 weight of fresh fish.

Capt. Peterson struck a nice market, readily disposing of his halibut late this morning to the American Halibut company at 14 1-2 cents a pound for gray.

During the forenoon, sch. Atlanta, Capt. Richard Wadding, the fourth of the fletcher halibut arrived from a five and one-half month trip and sch. Mattie Winship from a Georges handlining trip.

Schs. Mary E. Silveria and Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., are down from Boston with part of their fresh fares left over from yesterday which sold to the splitters.

The torchers did but little last evening, only two barrels of herring being landed here this morning.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are:

Sch. Rhodora 15,000 lbs. halibut, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Mary E. Silveria, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Francis J. O'Hara Jr., via Boston, 40,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Jeanette via Boston.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Harry A. Nickerson, eastern deck handlining.

Sch. Orato, haddocking.

Sch. Dorcas, seining.

Sch. Speculator, seining.

Sch. Harmony, seining.

Sch. Nashawena, seining.

Sch. Virginia, haddocking.

TODAY'S FISH MARKET.

Salt Fish.

Trawl bank cod, large, \$3.371-2; medium \$3; snappers, \$2.

Handline Georges codfish, large, \$4.00 per cwt.; medium, \$3.50; snappers, \$2.50.

Eastern halibut codfish, large, \$3.25; mediums, \$2.871-2; snappers, \$2.00.

Dory handlining codfish, large, \$3.50; medium, \$3.12 1-2; snappers, \$2.25.

Georges halibut codfish, large, \$4.12 1-2; mediums, \$3.50.

Drift codfish, large, \$3.75; mediums, \$3.37 1-2.

Haddock, \$1.50.

Pollock, \$1.25.

Cusk, large, \$2.50; medium, \$1.75; snappers, \$1.25.

Hake, \$1.25.

Large salt mackerel, \$23 and \$24 per bbls.; small \$13.25 and \$13.50 per bbl. Fletcher halibut, 10c per lb.

Fresh Fish.

Haddock, 70c per cwt.

Peak and Cape North cod, large, \$1.75; medium, \$1.50; snappers, 75c.

Western cod, large, \$2.10, mediums, \$1.75; snappers, 75c.

All codfish not gilled 10c per 100 pounds less than the above.

Hake, 85 cts.

Cusk, large, \$1.20; medium, 90c; snappers, 50c.

Dressed pollock, 80c; round 70c.

Bank halibut, 14 1/2c per lb. for white, 11 1/2c for gray.

Fresh mackerel, 25cts. for large, 18cts for medium, 5 cts. per lb. for tinkers.

Fresh bluebacks, \$2 to \$2.25 per bbl. for bait; \$1.25 per bbl. to freezer; 60 cts. per bbl. for oil.

Fresh porgies, \$1.25 per bbl. for bait; 75c per bbl. for oil.

Fresh herring, \$1.50 per bbl. to freezer; \$2.50 per bbl. for bait.

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Vessels Spoken.

Capt. Augustus Peterson of sch. Rhodora reports speaking schs. Yakima, Gov. Foss and John Hays Hammond, recently.

Good Stock.

Sch. Mabel D. Hines, Capt. Staley Hines, weighed off 248,953 pounds of salt cod from her recent salt trawl cod banking trip, stocking \$7825.98, from which the crew shared \$104 each, clear.

SEVEN FARES OF MACKEREL IN.

Mackerel are still hanging around Nantucket Shoals with excellent chances for some more fine catches like those which have been landed recently, six of the fleet having taken fish yesterday.

Sch. Veda M. McKown, Capt. James C. Gannon, is at Boston this morning with his second trip since taking command, hauling for 9000 fresh tinkers and 150 barrels of salt mackerel. The other arrivals are steamers Lois H. Corkum, Capt. William J. Corkum, 3000 fresh tinkers and 12 barrels salt mackerel; Sam and Priscilla, 10,000 fresh tinker mackerel; Bryda F., 1000 fresh tinkers; Water Witch, 7000 fresh tinkers; Joanna, 6000 fresh tinkers.

Sch. Electric Flash arrived at noon from a seining trip with 156 barrels of salt mackerel.

The Foreign Mackerel Market.

The New York market for all classes of foreign mackerel is quite firm, with a fairly active demand says the Fishing Gazette. Norways and Irish are somewhat higher in price. From Norway advices state that speculative buying there by local dealers will tend to keep prices up. The catch, so far, is now quoted as 79,000 bbls., of which 45,000 bbls. have been landed. It is thought the total catch may reach 100,000 bbls. The Strohmeier & Arpe Co., report that the first shipments of new Norway fancy fat mackerel are expected to arrive here about the end of the month. In spite of the good catch, the market is very firm and in fact tending higher just now, owing to the eagerness of American buyers to secure the goods. No definite reports have been received as yet as to the total catch and it will be sometime yet before we shall have definite news. The demand for Norway mackerel here is very good just now, although trade is not buying very largely, preferring to wait until they know definitely what the catch is going to be.

The report of Irish mackerel fishing from Dingle to date are as follows: September 3, about 2,500 mackerel landed, none cured, fish small and would count 415 to 450 per barrel; September 7, about 20,000 fish taken for the past week, and about 14,000 were cured, counting 400 to 425 per barrel. Shipments of Irish mackerel from Liverpool advised, viz.: September 7, 7,564 bbls., and total to date, 1912 spring, 15,810 bbls.; 1912 autumn 31 bbls.; 1912 Norway, 387 bbls., September 14, shipments from Liverpool for past week 109 bbls. to Boston only, count 300 to 350.

Got Lots of Bluebacks.

Seiners took large catches of bluebacks, also some mackerel off Monhegan last week.

Pretty Far North.

Sch. Independence II., Capt. John McInnis, one of the late dory handliners to leave here, was at Cape Harrison, Labrador, recently with 60,000 pounds of salt cod.

Harbored at Portland.

Tug Sea King arrived from the westward at Portland, Friday last, having in tow the scow Breakwater Co. No. 4 of Rockport, which has been chartered to load granite at one of the Maine stone ports.

Wreck Is Dangerous

Capt. Eugene O'Donnell of the str. H. F. Dimock reports that the most of the sunken porgie str. Falcon, in Vineyard Sound a mile south of Shovel Lightship, has been carried away and no portion of the wreck is visible above the water. Seafaring men express the opinion that the government should take steps to remove the wreck.

Expect Big Things.

According to opinions expressed in Los Angeles, the revocation of special fishing concessions on the Mexican west coast, including Lower California and particularly Magdalena Bay, will revolutionize the fishing industry in that part of the world, says the Los Angeles "Herald." It is estimated that 5000 persons, residents of Lower California, will be given employment under the new order. Under the decree giving every one equal rights along the coast in fishing, the monopoly will be abolished.

TWO MORE OF THE FLITCHERS HOME

Schs. Atalanta and Blanche
from Frozen North Each
Have Fair Catches.

Schs. Atalanta and Blanche two of the fletcher halibut fleet arrived home yesterday after a five and one-half months trip up North, both craft coming into port within a short time of each other.

Sch. Atalanta, Capt. Richard Wadding has 75,000 pounds of flitches and 10,000 weight of salt cod, while the Blanche, Capt. Adams hauls for 75,000 pounds of flitches, 50,000 pounds of salt cod and 58 barrels of fins.

Two of the Georges handliners are in sch. Pauline hauling for 20,000 pounds of salt cod, and sch. Mattie Winship which arrived yesterday noon 25,000 pounds of salt cod.

A nice shacking fare is that of sch. Thomas S. Gorton, Capt. William Thomas, who hauls for 100,000 pounds of fresh cod and 2000 pounds of halibut.

Sch. Gladstone from the Bay of Islands, N. F., brings a cargo of 200,000 pounds of salt cod and 300 quintals of dry cod for the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Company.

Two seining fares are also at this port, sch. Stiletto with 50 barrels of salt mackerel, and sch. Veda M. McKown. Capt. James C. Gannon who brought his trip of salt mackerel down here.

One trip of bluebacks was brought in yesterday, the first for several days being the gasoliner Bessie A. with 25 barrels. There was no landings by the herring torchers today.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are:

Sch. Mattie Winship, Georges handlining, 25,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Atalanta, fletcher halibuting, 75,000 lbs. fletcher halibut, 10,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Blanche, fletcher halibuting, 75,000 lbs. fletcher halibut, 50,000 lbs. salt cod, 58 bbls. halibut fins.

Sch. Stiletto, seining, 50 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Veda M. McKown, via Boston, 150 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Thomas S. Gorton, shacking, 100,000 lbs. fresh fish, 2000 lbs. fresh halibut.

Sch. Pauline, Georges handlining, 20,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Gladstone, Bay of Islands, N. F., 200,000 lbs. salt cod, 300 qtls. dried cod.

OVER \$16,000, UPSHELL'S STOCK

Sch. Maxine Elliott, Capt. Fred Uphell, stocked \$16,423 from her recent fletcher halibuting trip, it being the largest stock in that branch of the fishery for 20 years at least, and one of the very largest ever made by a fletcher. Capt. Uphell weighed off 154,000 pounds, a little less than for what the craft hauled. The crew's share of the trip was \$423 clear.

Portland Fish News.

Two of the biggest fares of ground fish landed here for a long time by any of the local fishing vessels were brought in Monday by the schs. Lochinvar and Fannie Hayden. The former, which has been fishing for a week in the vicinity of Monhegan brought in about 45,000 pounds of mixed fish. Her skipper reports in the heavy gale of last Friday had mainsail badly torn and will have to take on a new one. On the way up a stop was made at Boothbay Harbor to land a sick sailor, Al Catlan. The Hayden which has been away a fortnight landed about 24,000 pounds, most of her catch having been made on the Rossaway Banks, off the Cape Shore. Rough weather was encountered a good part of the cruise, and the schooner was obliged to make harbor several times at Shelburne and other provincial ports. The sch. Bernie and Bessie brought in about 1000 pounds of mackerel taken off the lightship, and a few of the small boats landed about 10,000 pounds of mixed fish, but outside of the first two trips mentioned